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For Novel Murine Polynucleotide Sequences and Mutant Cells  
and Mutant Animals Defined Thereby

Group Art Unit 1631

Examiner J. Martinell

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(check time period desired):☒ One months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))

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